GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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TEXTILE WORKERS RELIEF FUND SCHEME
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Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the labourers of the closed textile mills in the country particularly in Madhya Pradesh provided relief under the Textile Workers Relief Fund Scheme(TWRFS) during each of the last three years, State-wise;

(b) the amount of relief sanctioned and actually distributed to them during the said period, State-wise; and

(c) the names and locations of the mills still awaiting the payment of relief which otherwise fulfil the eligibility criterion for availing the said relief, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a): The state-wise details of the textiles workers of the closed textiles mills in the country including the State of Madhya Pradesh who have been provided relief under the Textiles Workers Rehabilitation Fund Scheme(TWRFS) in the last three years, are as follows:-

(Rs. in lakh)

Name of the State	2004-05 No. of workers	2004-05 Amount paid	2005-06 No. of workers	2005-06 Amount paid	2006-07 No. of workers	2006-07 Amount paid
Gujarat	46	14.52	1823	410.50	1043	423.11
Madhya Pradesh	3233	779.86	1336	363.47	1665	790.00
Tamil Nadu	1	0.06	1	.39	0	0
Karnataka	18	5.41	65	25.61	530	191.89
West Bengal	0	0	0	0	95	20.00
Total	3298	799.85	3225	799.97	3333	1425.00

(b): The amount of relief sanctioned and actually distributed during the last three years is given below. State-wise disbursement is given against (a) above.

(Rs. in lakh)

Year	Amount sanctioned by Government	Amount disbursed to workers
2004-05	800.00	799.85
2005-06	800.00	799.97
2006-07	1425.00	1425.00

(c): Two mills, namely M/s. Navjyot Textiles Mills Ltd., Kadi, Mehsana District, and M/s. Maheshwari Mills Ltd., Ahmedabad, both in Gujarat State are meeting the eligibility criteria. However, details of eligible workers/individual claim application are yet to be received for making actual payment of relief.